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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Shimon Sakaguchi Art Unit : 1633
Serial No. : 09/284,114 Examiner : Kris Pelham Mayo
Filed : April 7, 1999
Title : A MOUSE STRAIN WITH NATURAL ONSET OF AUTOIMMUNE ARTHRITIS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND PETITION FOR AUTOMATIC EXTENSION

Correspondence relating to this application is enclosed. The required fees are computed below.

Total Claims	11	-	20	=	0	\$0
Independent	4	-	3	=	1	\$78
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims						\$0
Applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for a 1 month extension of time.						<u>\$110</u>
TOTAL FEE DUE						\$188

A check for \$188 is attached. Please apply any other charges, or any credits, to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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